

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 121

Introduced by Assembly Member Dahle

March 13, 2014

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 121—Relative to the CHP Officer Troy Lee Clark Memorial Bridge.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 121, as introduced, Dahle. CHP Officer Troy Lee Clark Memorial Bridge.

This measure would designate the Spanish Creek Bridge in the County of Plumas as the CHP Officer Troy Lee Clark Memorial Bridge. The measure would request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost of appropriate signs showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources to cover that cost, to erect those signs.

Fiscal committee: yes.

1 WHEREAS, CHP Officer Troy Lee Clark was born on April
2 25, 1940 in Joshua Tree, California; and

3 WHEREAS, Officer Clark graduated from Downey High School
4 in 1958; and

5 WHEREAS, Officer Clark married his high school sweetheart,
6 Sharon Rita Johnsen, on July 6, 1958, and was just short of 54
7 years of marriage at the time of his passing; and

8 WHEREAS, Officer Clark had six children, 17 grandchildren,
9 and 9 great grandchildren; and

1 WHEREAS, Officer Clark moved to the City of San Diego
2 around 1960 and worked for the San Diego Police Department
3 from 1960 to 1963, inclusive; and

4 WHEREAS, Officer Clark entered the Department of California
5 Highway Patrol Academy in 1963 and went to work for the
6 department based in San Diego; and

7 WHEREAS, Officer Clark was transferred to Quincy, California,
8 in 1976 and retired from the department in 1979; and

9 WHEREAS, Upon retirement, Officer Clark began a second
10 career as an electrical contractor and was active in the trade until
11 his passing on July 1, 2012, in Quincy; and

12 WHEREAS, Officer Clark was also a member of the Quincy
13 Volunteer Fire Department for over 30 years from 1977 until 2008
14 or 2009, attaining the rank of assistant chief; and

15 WHEREAS, Officer Clark volunteered countless hours over the
16 years in Quincy for the Plumas County Fair as its electrician; and

17 WHEREAS, Officer Clark continued his volunteer work even
18 after retiring and selling his contracting business; and

19 WHEREAS, Officer Clark also volunteered as timekeeper for
20 his grandson's basketball team at Quincy High School; and

21 WHEREAS, In recognition of Officer Clark's contributions in
22 serving the Department of the California Highway Patrol and the
23 citizens of California, it would be fitting to designate the Spanish
24 Creek Bridge in the County of Plumas in his honor; now, therefore,
25 be it

26 *Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*
27 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature hereby designate the
28 Spanish Creek Bridge on State Route 70, in the County of Plumas
29 near Keddie, Bridge No. 09-0015, as the CHP Officer Troy Lee
30 Clark Memorial Bridge; and be it further

31 *Resolved*, That the Department of Transportation is requested
32 to determine the cost of erecting appropriate signs, consistent with
33 the signage requirements for the state highway system, showing
34 this special designation and, upon receiving donations from
35 nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those signs; and be it
36 further

1 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
2 of this resolution to the Director of Transportation and to the author
3 for appropriate distribution.

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